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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND RESPONSE TO
NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION FILING DATE GRANTED**

Applicants respectfully request an extension of time of two (2) months to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed June 1, 2004.

In response to the form Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, mailed June 1, 2004, please find enclosed a combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, executed by the named inventors for the reference application. Also enclosed is a copy of the form entitled Notice to File Missing Parts of an Application Filing Date Granted.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$560 to Deposit Account No. 02-0429 (414-35351-US) maintained by Baker Hughes Incorporated, for the amount due on the surcharge for missing parts (\$130), and two month extension of time (\$430). The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account 02-0429 (414-35351-US).

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